

Michael Wiggins Jr., Chairman
Bad River Band of Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians
P.O. Box 39
Odanah, Wisconsin 54861

Dear Chairman Wiggins:

Enclosed, please find the final Compliance Plan to resolve Clean Water Act (CWA) violations at the Bad River Waste Water Treatment Plant (WWTP), the Diaperville Stabilization Lagoon, and the Birch Hill Stabilization Lagoon. The Compliance Plan identifies CWA violations and outlines a timetable for specific actions required to resolve these violations by January 31, 2014.

EPA considered comments and information provided by your staff prior to finalizing the Compliance Plan. EPA looks forward to working with you to ensure that the WWTP and stabilization lagoon facilities are operated and maintained in accordance with CWA requirements.

If you or your staff have questions concerning the Compliance Plan, please contact Dean Maraldo at (312) 353-2098. Legal inquiries should be directed to Barbara Wester, Associate Regional Counsel, at (312) 353-8514.

Sincerely,

Susan Hedman
Regional Administrator

Enclosure
Final Compliance Plan

cc: Pat Hunt, Operations Manager, Bad River Utilities
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